

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Degott et al.
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Customer No. : 26936

Commissioner for Patents
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STATUS INQUIRY

Sir:

Please advise us of the status of this application. This application has been pending for over four years now. There was a restriction requirement in September, 2008, which we answered in October, 2008. However, we have not received an action on the merits yet.

Respectfully submitted,

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